Feb 18 1840

Inv. Joseph Meyer
requesting Bills to be sent
22 Feb

Dr Sir-

Will you have the goodness to direct that the Bells of Christ Church be rung on the 22nd Inst & send the bills to me

very respectfully
yr Mo obt
Wm J Wisner
Mayor

Feb 7 18 / 41

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M Hemphill Esq

Moses Kempton Esqr

Church Warden

Mr. Bingham

10 March 1841

Th. Cadwaladr

Dear Sir,

I have this afternoon received your letter of yesterday.

Repeating what I verbally mentioned when you called about my pews, - that "my Gt. Gd. Father "William Moore was the original "owner, & that it came to me through "his Daughter, Williamina Bond", I submit to the Rector & Vestry the presumption that the selection of one of the best pews wd. hardly have been conceded to William Moore had he not been one of the largest Contributors. I cannot however, now, prove the fact, & must be excused from further discussing the subject.

Yrs resp.y.

Moses Kempton Esqr.

T. Caldwell Ladies
10 March 1841.

Mayors Office
5 April 1841

Request the Tenor
the Bells ring on the
occasion of the death
of Wm H. Harrison
President of the United States

Moses Kimpton Esq

Mayors Office

Apl 5th 1841

Dr Sir

as a token of respect to the memory of our late esteemed Chief Magistrate I have been instructed to have the Bells of the City muffled & such changes rung as befit the occasion — the City to cause to pay all expense — very respectfully Yr Mo ob St

Wm Wright
Mayor

Mess Kempshin Esq

April 7. 1841
Mr Sample
Mayor
requesting the Bells to be
Chimed

Moses Hampton Esq

Mayors Office
April 7th 1841

Dr Sir-

Will you be pleased to direct that the Bells of Christ Church be tolled to day from 12 o'clk M, until 3 o'clk P.M. in honor of the Memory of late President of the U.S.

Very respectfully
Yr Mo ob. St

Wm Wolf
Mayor.

To/
Moses Hampton Esq

Chesnut St. Monday noon
12 April 1841

Moses Kempton Esq

dear Sir

Will you have the goodness to direct that the Bells of Christ Church be muffled and rung during the time of the procession on to morrow morning

most faithfully & respectfully
Yr Ob't Serv't

Isaac Elliott

Chairman of Committee
on arrangements at the
Church

April 12. 1841

Committee of
Council of City

Arrangement respecting
the Services prescription
of Christ Church
Belfry & the Steeple Clock

Moses Kempton Esq. —
acting Warden &
Christ Church
Toronto

Philada. April 13. 1841.

To the Rector Churchwardens Vestrymen
of Christ Church Philadelphia

The undersigned Heir of Mary Wagner
deceased hereby consent & approve of the transfer of One
permanent Sitting in pew No 11 north aisle to Samuel
Wagner

Tobias Wagner.

Elizabeth Baker

Susan Byerly.

J. Wagner Att'y. for
Wm Wagner

Maria Stille

Hen Wells Jr Wagner
Consent to Transfer of
his Settlg in Pew No 11
North aisle to Samuel
Wagner

Approved by Vestry
19 April 1841

1841

Dear Sir

An informal meeting of the Vestry of St Peters Church took place this morning, and the gentlemen present united in the desire to relieve the family of Dr Abercrombie from the expenses of his funeral. With this view they instructed me to request that you would convene in like manner the Vestry of Christs Church and to propose to that body to unite in the necessary disbursements for the occasion. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 5. OClock, and I will be much obliged if you will favor me with a reply to this note communicating the views of the gentlemen of your Vestry.

Yrs very respectfully
H. G. Smith

Moses Kempton Esqr
Warden of Christs Church.

Sunday June 27th 1841

Christ Church Sunday 23 June 1844

The members of Vestry of Christ Church this afternoon, after Service. present

Moses Kempton Warden

Messrs Nicklin, Clark, W Smith, Johnson, Bacon, & Read Vestrymen —

The within communication was read, when it was moved by Mr Nicklin & seconded by Mr Smith. That this Church concur in the request to contribute to the Expences of the Funeral of Dr Allen dec'd, which was carried unanimously (except the warden who doubted the authority to vote Money for this object, Dr Allen not being a member of this Church —

Moses Kempton Esq

Warden Christ Church

Sunday 23 June 1844

Communication etc — in relation to the death & funeral of Dr Allen carried — unanimously in the affirmative

Schuylkill Haven. July 5. 1841

Dear Sir

I beg leave to return you my grateful acknowledgment in behalf of St. James's Church, Schuylkill Haven, for the appropriation of twenty five dollars from Christ Church. In drawing the check however, you have mistaken my name. It is Buel, not "Jewell". You will therefore oblige me by transmitting a check for the amount to my order

Very Respectfully Yours
Saml. Buel

Moses Kempton Esq.
Philadelphia.

Wellsborough July 24th 1841.

Dear Sir

It was with mingled feelings of pleasure and surprise that I received your polite note enclosing a check for twenty five dollars, for the use of the Church in this place. When we thought of building a Church, the Vestry suggested your going abroad for aid, this I opposed, believing it to be their duty to make every possible exertion to raise funds first in the village and neighborhood. This they have done, subscribing liberally a second time and some are willing now to do so a third time, that the whole debt may be paid off, which is about $300. The Church cost $3000. All this has been done by a community who were not Episcopalians. I have troubled you with this much detail that you may feel assured that your liberality has not been misapplied.

Your obliged Servant
Charles Breck

over

Extract from the minutes of the Vestry of St Pauls Church Wellsborough at a meeting held July 15th 1841.

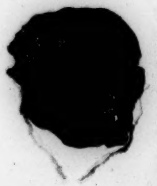
"On Motion of Squire Smith

Resolved. That the thanks of the Vestry of St Pauls Church Wellsborough be Presented to the Rector, Wardens and Vestry of Christ Church Philadelphia for their present of $25."

D Moses Kempton Esq
Warden of Christ Church

Wellsboro
July 25
1844 Paid

Moses Kempton Esq
Warden of Christ Church
Philadelphia



Wellsboro July 24. 1844
Rec'd Payment
contents of this
Letter

Cincinnati Oct. 13th 1841

Mr Moses Kempton

Dear Sir

Your favour of the 2d inst was received, and in reply I was not aware of the forfeiture of my Pew by not paying the rent until the amount of rent due amounted to 2/3 of the purchase money, and as I gave 80$ for the pew I considered that you were safe—

It is my wish to retain the pew and as soon as I can make arrangements I will pay the amo. due on the pew— I therefore must ask the indulgence for a short time—

I called at Your Store twice and not finding You in, and as I am compelled to return to Virginia, I must ask of you not to dispose of it until I return which will be in about 2 or 3 weeks—

Please let Mrs Chapman hear from You previous to Sunday—

Yours.
Respectfully
Saml B Chapman

Camden
13 Oct 1841

S. B. Chapman

15 Oct
Ans. & Ans. complyn
with the request

New York Dec 1 1841

Moses Hempton Esq

Dear Sir

In a letter from Dr Orr to a friend. he says it is necessary for me to make a surrender of my Pew in Christ's Church — I was not aware of the necessary form & am fearful it has caused you some trouble. I now make a surrender of Pew No 25 into the hands of the Wardens & Vestry of Christs Church — or the regularly constituted Authorities, & wish them to sell it to the mutual advantage of the Church & myself.

Most respectfully
Your Obt Servt
John C Hatcher

1842 May 7th advanced him of money at the Pew sale a Subscription to the Church of $109. 3/4 of which has been entered to say $75.

deduct from above for Pew Rent due 25 March last, Ent in Pew Book $ 4.00

PAID

NEW-YORK
DEC 2

Kempton Esq
Philadelphia
Pa

Steamboat Clermont
Hudson River
Dec 1st 1841

Dear Sir

I have received your letter of the 29th ult. and have
forwarded the Claim to Albany. I have no doubt
but it will be allowed at the present session of the
Legislature. I am Dear Sir Yours Truly

John C. Stevens